

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-15 (canceled)

Claims 16-27 (canceled)

Claim 28 (previously presented): A method for improving prognosis, neurological symptoms, or motor dysfunction of a disease resulting from cerebral infarction, comprising:  
administering an effective amount of paraoxonase to improve one of prognosis, neurological symptoms and motor dysfunction of a disease resulting from cerebral infarction to a patient in need thereof.

Claim 29 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises administering an effective amount of 3-[(3-cholamidopropyl)dimethylammonio]-1-propanesulfonate in combination.

Claim 30 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises administering the effective amount of paraoxonase in the presence of a polyol.

Claim 31 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises administering the effective amount of paraoxonase in the presence of a glycerol.

Claim 32 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises orally administering the effective amount of paraoxonase.

Claim 33 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises parenterally administering the effective amount of paraoxonase.

Claim 34 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises intravenously administering the effective amount of paraoxonase.

Claim 35 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the paraoxonase is a purified paraoxonase.

Claim 36 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the paraoxonase is a purified paraoxonase having a specific activity in a range of 100 to 2000 U/A<sub>280</sub>.

Claim 37 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the paraoxonase is a purified paraoxonase having a specific activity in a range of 500 to 1800 U/A<sub>280</sub>.

Claim 38 (previously presented): The method of claim 28, wherein the administering of the effective amount of paraoxonase comprises administering an effective amount of a detergent to stabilize an activity of the paraoxonase in combination.